

# Team Manager Update

## June 2020

This update is available on the website [www.southeastswimming.org](http://www.southeastswimming.org)

## Team Manager Training

Team Manager 1 Single Day Events	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June 2020	Online	18:30 – 21:00
Team Manager 1 Single Day Events	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July 2020	Online	18:30 – 21:00
Team Manager 1 Single Day Events	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> July 2020	Online	18:30 – 21:00

To book visit the website for an online booking form; <https://www.southeastswimming.org/workforce/team-managers/>

## Team Manage 1 Course – Updated Version

Swim England have launched an updated version of the Swim England Team Manager 1 course which has seen a strong uptake. The course has been specially adapted for online training so it can be completed during the coronavirus lockdown. The updated version covers

- Essential elements of team management from pre to post event duties
- Relaying information in a concise manner and make quick decisions based upon the best interests of individuals and teams
- How Swim England’s safeguarding policy and procedures work in a team management context
- Managing athletes during competitions including promoting positive behaviour at the venue
- How to support coaches, athletes and parents
- And how to identify hazards and risk factors that have the potential to cause harm to athletes – and the risk assessment requirements associated with the role.

The full swim England article can be read here - <https://www.swimming.org/swimengland/more-team-manager-course-dates/>

## Wavepower 2020-2023

The Swim England Safeguarding policy, Wavepower has recently been updated and launched. The aim of Wavepower is to safeguard all children in line with current legislation, regulations and guidance and is for use within any Swim England affiliated organisation where children are present.

This document will be updated in 2023, but when updates or changes take place either in Swim England or governmental guidance these will be published on the website.

Full electronic copy can be found here - <https://www.swimming.org/swimengland/wavepower-child-safeguarding-for-clubs/>

## New Swim England Safeguarding course

**Swim England Safeguarding** - An aquatics-specific safeguarding course has been created by Swim England which will help members and its workforce meet the new Stronger Affiliation guidelines. Bookings can now be made on the course at the currently reduced rate of £25.

<https://www.swimming.org/ios/search/free-text?filters%5BfreeText%5D=Safeguarding>

**Free Child Safeguarding Basic Awareness course** - A new free online resource aims to ensure everyone involved in aquatic clubs across the country has an awareness of child safeguarding. The course does not replace the requirement for those who work with children to complete Safeguarding Training.

<https://www.swimming.org/ios/course/3452>

## Stronger Affiliation

Clubs can now start uploading evidence against Swim England's Stronger Affiliation process. Six pieces of evidence are to be submitted by the 1<sup>st</sup> December. For help and support please contact the Regional Officers. <https://www.swimming.org/swimengland/stronger-affiliation-upload-evidence/>

## Updating your safeguarding certificates onto your OMS Profile

Swim England has developed their Member Options page to allow individuals to upload safeguarding certificates. A full step by step guide can be found here [https://www.southeastswimming.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Uploading\\_safeguarding\\_certificates\\_guide.pdf](https://www.southeastswimming.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Uploading_safeguarding_certificates_guide.pdf)

## Roles that require a DBS/safeguarding certificate

Role	DBS Requirement - Enhanced disclosure with barred list check	DBS Requirement - Enhanced disclosure only	Role	DBS Requirement - Enhanced disclosure with barred list check	DBS Requirement - Enhanced disclosure only
Coach	Yes	No	Chaperone	Yes	No
Assistant Coach	Yes	No	Team Manager	Yes	No
Teacher	Yes	No	Sport Psychologist	Yes	No
Assistant Teacher	Yes	No	Tutor to children under 18 years of age	Yes	No
Club Welfare Officer	Yes	No	Physiotherapist (including Sports Masseur)	Yes	No
County Welfare Officer	Yes	No	Nutritionist	Yes	No
Regional Welfare Officer	Yes	No	Pool Helper	No	Yes
Lifeguard	Yes	No	Poolside Helper	No	Yes

If a DBS check is required a safeguarding certificate is also compulsory. A full list can be found in WavePower (Page 51-52) <https://www.swimming.org/swimengland/wavepower-child-safeguarding-for-clubs/>

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